

**AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT:**

Please amend page 11, paragraph 2, to read as follows:

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A composition for inhibiting noxious odors of a user's ~~feet~~ foot. The composition comprises an active ingredient of elemental sulfur, preferably in a micronized state, applied to an article to be deodorized, such as socks, stockings or ~~any~~ other textile or footwear product intended to come into direct or indirect contact with the article ~~to be deodorized. In this manner, the~~ The active ingredient may be combined with other substances in an effort to achieve stable adherence to the ~~support~~ article and, thereby, ~~assure a~~ provide lasting release of the active ingredient over time, even after subsequent cleaning[[s]] of the article.